

MY WATER FEELS SLIPPERY

POSSIBLE PROBLEM	HEALTH CONCERN?	OTHER CLUES & CONSIDERATIONS	CONFIRM IT	POSSIBLE FIXES	LICENSE REQUIRED FOR FIX?	STATE FUNDS?	MORE INFO
Water is Too “Soft”	Possibly, if an individual has been advised to eat a low sodium diet. See Department of Health Fact Sheet for sodium. There is a nuisance standard for chloride which water gives the salty taste.	Are your dishes etched from washing them in the dishwasher?	Test your untreated water for hardness to make sure it really needs to be softened. Contact a laboratory certified by DNR to perform chloride analyses .	Change the settings on your water softener so that it regenerates less frequently.	No	No	Call a licensed plumber.
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Salt	Possibly, if an individual has been advised to eat a low sodium diet. See Department of Health Fact Sheet for sodium. There is a nuisance standard for chloride which gives the salty taste.	Was a lot of road salt applied during the winter? Is bedrock shallow in the area or is the casing pipe in your well shallow? Is your water softener functioning properly?	Test your water for sodium and chloride. Contact a laboratory certified by DNR to perform chloride analyses .	See MY WATER TASTES SALTY .	See MY WATER TASTES SALTY .	See MY WATER TASTES SALTY .	See MY WATER TASTES SALTY .